UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF OHIO EASTERN DIVISION

IN RE: NATIONAL PRESCRIPTION OPIATE LITIGATION

MDL No. 2804

This Document Relates to:

Case No. 1:23-op-45002-DAP

Butler County Board of Commissioners, Ohio v. Evernorth Health, Inc., et al, Case No. 1:23-op-45002-DAP (N.D. Ohio)

Judge Dan Aaron Polster

PLAINTIFF'S MOTION FOR LEAVE TO FILE EXHIBIT UNDER SEAL

Pursuant to Local Rule 5.2, Plaintiff seeks leave to file its Complaint under seal.

Local Rule 5.2 states: "No document will be accepted for filling under seal unless a statute, court rule, or prior court order authorizes the filing of sealed documents."

Plaintiff's Complaint contains information that has been subject to Protective and Confidentiality Orders, including Case Management Order No. 2 and the amendments thereto (ECF #s 441, 1357, 2687, 2688). This information is subject to this Court's Order Amending Procedures Regarding Redactions and Filing of Briefs Under Seal (ECF # 1813). Plaintiff respectfully requests to proceed in this manner so there are no inadvertent disclosures of information subject to Protective Orders and to comply with this Court's orders.

WHEREFORE, Plaintiff respectfully requests the Honorable Court to grant Plaintiff's Motion for Leave to File its Complaint Under Seal.

Dated: February 1, 2023, Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on February 1, 2023, I electronically filed the foregoing with the Clerk of the Court using the CM/ECF system, which will send notification of such filing to the attorneys of record at their e-mail addresses on file with the Court.

/s/ Mark H. Troutman

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